

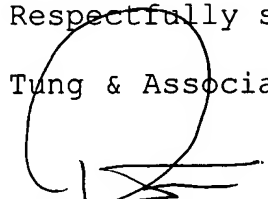
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**REMARKS**

Applicants hereby elect with traverse the prosecution of Group I, method claims 1-23. Non-elected claims 24-28 have been cancelled and withdrawn from further consideration by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'Randy W. Tung', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized with a large, circular loop at the beginning.

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